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37 CFR 1.53(b))*

<p>Attorney Docket Number 21153-05929</p> <p>First Named Inventor Jeffrey D. Walker</p> <p>Title Optical transmitter including a linear semiconductor optical amplifier</p> <p>Express Mail Label No. EL566108275US</p>

APPLICATION ELEMENTS		ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS	
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Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: xx/xxx,xxx Filed: 12/11/2001

Prior application information: Examiner: Unassigned Group/Art Unit: Unassigned Inventors: Jeffrey D. Walker et al.

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Application Number	Unassigned
Filing Date	December 13, 2001
First Named Inventor	Jeffrey D. Walker
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2. CLAIMS

Large Entity Fee Code/Fee	Small Entity Fee Code/Fee	Fee Description
103/\$18	203/\$9	Claims in excess of 20
102/\$84	202/\$42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104/\$280	204/\$140	Multiple dependent claim
109/\$84	209/\$42	Reissue independent claims over original patent
110/\$18	210/\$9	Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
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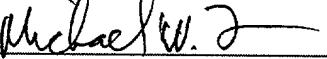
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First Named Inventor	Jeffrey D. Walker
Title	Optical transmitter including a linear semiconductor optical amplifier
Atty Docket Number	21153-05929

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